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AMENDMENT

In response to the final Office Action dated May 31, 2005, and the filing of a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) concurrently herewith, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 21 of this paper.